

SOCIETY AND THE HOLIDAYS

Fashionables Make Most of Fine Days for Out-of-Door Pleasure.

BAZARS CLAIM ATTENTION

Several Large Affairs, Together with Club Meetings and Holiday Shopping, Make Up Week's Calendar.

Like Mother Like Daughter. Her mother sat beside us two, A sedate posture cause for rue, For though engaged the fact was this, She set her face against the kiss.

With complacency the dame soon blinked, Forthwith we promptly interlocked, Her mother's course she did pursue, And set her face against it, too.

The Social Calendar

MONDAY—Mrs. W. H. Original Monday Bridge club; Mrs. Howard Haldridge, Monday Bridge club; Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Phillippi, dinner for the Phillippi-Bailey wedding party.

TUESDAY—Phillippi-Bailey wedding; Mrs. H. D. Bergen, Wernio club; Mrs. J. L. Richardson, Tuesday club; Visiting Nurses' association, dance at Chambers; Max Burkhardt, Floradora club.

WEDNESDAY—Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Yates, debut dancing party for their granddaughters, Miss Dorothy Morgan, Metropolitan club, informal dance and whist party; Miss Nina Criss, luncheon for Miss Blanche Howland.

THURSDAY—Mrs. Armetstein and Mrs. J. Sonnenberg, card party at the home; Mrs. W. E. Poppolon, Original Cooking club; Mrs. C. K. Constant, buffet luncheon; Mrs. W. L. Selby and Mrs. Heaford, Round Dusen club at home of Mrs. Selby.

FRIDAY—Mrs. C. K. Constant, buffet luncheon; Mrs. Waldwin O. Perry, Sacajawea club; Mrs. Howard Haldridge, Haldridge club; Hanscom Park dancing club, party at Chambers.

SATURDAY—Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Breckenridge, Harmony club; Mrs. H. H. Roberts, card party for Miss Blanche Howland.

Christmas is seemingly decidedly near, although sunny skies and dry roads such as have made the last few weeks glorious are not exactly suggestive of holy waters and Santa Claus. How the automobilists have taken advantage of every day of this delightfully mild winter weather. Like "Little Balls of Snow," they have gone "east, north, south and west" on short pleasure jaunts and report invigorating splendid trips.

The early shoppers are abroad now and the week was well filled with church bazaars and sales which herald the closer approach of the holiday season. A number of social affairs also punctuated the week, the most prominent of these being the brilliant reception given by Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Davis for Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Davis and many given-in-honor affairs for two of the brides of this month. Miss Bertha Phillippi and Miss Blanche Howland.

Dancing parties, one or two cotillions, informal tea and one large "coffee" are a few of countless entertainments that are being planned to make the Christmas vacation for the younger set a memorable one. Just a short time now and the strenuous pace will begin marking the arrival of the most prominent of these being the brilliant reception given by Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Davis for Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Davis and many given-in-honor affairs for two of the brides of this month. Miss Bertha Phillippi and Miss Blanche Howland.

Come and Go Gossip.

Mrs. M. S. True has returned from a year's absence abroad.

Mr. W. C. Bundgaard returned Friday from Excelsior Springs.

Mrs. Himebaugh is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Goulet.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Neely have returned from a brief visit in Chicago.

Mrs. W. L. Stewart of Seattle is visiting her mother, Mrs. Henry Van Gleason.

Miss Olive Stephen left Thursday to visit relatives in the Indian Territory.

Dr. E. C. Houston of Emerson, Ia., who spent Thanksgiving with his parents, has returned to Emerson.

Miss Edna Cageta, who has been visiting Miss Mabel Stephen, left Friday for her home in Kalamo, Wash.

Mrs. Ernest M. Pollard spent the last week in Omaha the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Waterman.

Miss Susan Holdrige is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Edward Holtzke on the E. O. ranch in the western part of Nebraska.

Miss Marie and Miss Ruth Hugg of Fort Dodge, Ia., have arrived to be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur E. Kennedy.

Mr. Elwood T. Bailey, whose marriage to Miss Bertha Phillippi will take place Tuesday evening, arrived Saturday from St. Joseph, Mo.

Miss Ella Mae Brown has returned from Chicago, where she attended the automobile show with her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Munger of Kansas City.

Miss Margaret Wood, who has been spending the last week in Cleveland, O., where she was bridesmaid at a wedding, returned home this morning.

Mr. Myles Standish, Mr. Lloyd Smith and Mr. Jack Welsh left Friday for Lincoln to attend the Delta Tau Delta dance and are expected home this evening.

Miss Helen Eryan of Woodmont, Conn., who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles McDonald for several months, will leave Tuesday for her home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Patrick of Sheridan, Wyo., who have been visiting at the home of Mrs. J. J. Brown, and also Mrs. J. N. H. Patrick, has gone for a visit in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Hayward of Davenport, Ia., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Carmichael last week, on their return from the funeral at Nebraska City of Mrs. M. L. Hayward, widow of the late Senator Hayward.

Mrs. U. M. Barnum and daughter, Miss Jennie, will arrive the first of the week from an extended trip to St. Paul, Minneapolis and great lake points. They will be accompanied by Mrs. Ringstrom of Red Wing, Minn., who is her way to California to spend the winter.

Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Borglum and daughters, Miss Harriet and Miss Theodore, sailed Saturday from New York on the Friedrich der Grosse for Naples. They will remain in Europe until next September. Dr. Borglum will spend the greater part of the time studying in Vienna and Berlin.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. McShane are expected home today from Texas and Excelsior Springs. Miss Mary Lee McShane, who has been in Cleveland, O., as one of the attendants at a wedding, is also expected home today. She will be met in Chicago by her brother, Mr. Lee McShane.

Social Chat-Chat.

Mrs. S. C. Allen, who has been quite ill with pleurisy, is very much improved.

Mr. Thomas Verner Moore, who has been suffering with grippe, is greatly improved.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Gillespie have moved to Twenty-second and Davenport streets.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Rosewater are agents occupying their former apartments at the Paxton hotel.

Miss Eunice Stebbins of the high school faculty, who has been ill for two weeks

and who underwent an operation at the Omaha General hospital last Monday, is rapidly recovering.

Mrs. Herbert Wheeler has spent the week in Nebraska City, where she was called by the death of Mrs. Hayward.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bruce Fonda have moved from their home on Lafayette avenue to Forty-seventh and Cass streets, the residence formerly occupied by Mr. M. H. Bliss.

Mrs. Monnell, who has been abroad for the last year, landed in New York November 24, and will visit relatives in the east until the middle of December, when she will return to Omaha and occupy her home on Harney street with Mrs. George Paterson.

Bishop and Mrs. Worthington have been present at several days at the Archbishop and Mrs. Davidson at the Old Palace in Canterbury, England. The bishop preached in the cathedral on November 17 and at Christ cathedral, Oxford, the 23rd, before the Rhodes' scholars.

Prospective Events.

The Sacajawea club will be entertained by Mrs. Waldwin O. Perry.

The Bernal club will meet Tuesday at the home of Mrs. H. D. Bergen.

The Hanscom Park dancing club will give a dance Friday evening at the home. The Original Cooking club will be entertained Thursday by Mrs. W. E. Poppolon.

The Tuesday Whist club will be entertained this week by Mrs. J. L. Richardson.

Mrs. Earl Kiplinger will be hostess this week at the meeting of the New Bridge club.

The Monday Bridge club will be entertained this week by Mrs. Howard Haldridge.

The Qui Vive dancing club will give one of its series of parties Friday evening at Chambers.

Mrs. C. W. Hull will be hostess this week at the meeting of the Original Monday Bridge club.

The Harmony club will meet Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Breckenridge.

Mrs. Max Burkhardt will be hostess Tuesday afternoon at the meeting of the Floradora club.

Mrs. J. Sonnenberg and Mrs. A. Armetstein will give a luncheon and card party Thursday at the home.

A dance for the benefit of the Visiting Nurses' association will be given Tuesday evening at Chambers.

Complimentary to Miss Blanche Howland, Miss Nina Criss will give a luncheon Wednesday at her home.

A large card party will be given Saturday afternoon by Mrs. H. H. Roberts in honor of Miss Blanche Howland.

Among the most pretentious affairs of the week will be the two buffet luncheons given by Mrs. C. K. Constant Thursday and Friday.

Metropolitan club will give one of its series of informal dance and whist parties Wednesday evening at the clubhouse on Harney street.

Mrs. W. L. Selby and Mrs. Heaford will be hostesses this week at the meeting of the Round Dusen club, at the home of Mrs. W. L. Selby.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Yates will give a large dancing party Tuesday evening at their home, "Hillside," to formally introduce their granddaughter, Miss Dorothy Morgan.

The Christmas party of the Winfield club at Chambers' hall on the evening of December 23 will be a "Versailles fete nouvelle." The committee in charge contemplates something not only elaborate, but unique and the nature of the novelties to be offered is causing a great deal of guessing in the Winfield set.

Weddings and Engagements.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Brawloff announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Esther, to Mr. Isaac Nalbarg of New York.

Miss Grace Gallagher of Omaha and Mr. Don E. Moxham were married in Logan, Ia., Saturday evening. Rev. W. N. Graves officiated. There were no attendants and the bride's mother was the only person who witnessed the ceremony.

A wedding of the many Omaha people was solemnized in Spokane, Wash., Monday afternoon at 5 o'clock when Miss Kathryn Blason, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. F. M. Sisson of Albion, Neb., formerly of Omaha, and Mr. James D. McLean were united in marriage. Only the members of the family present at the ceremony, which was performed by Dr. C. O. Kimball, pastor of the Vincenti Methodist church, at the home of Mrs. Marie MacLean. It was originally planned to have the marriage at the home of the bride's parents in Albion, but circumstances made this impossible. Mr. and Mrs. Blason were for two years general secretary of the Spokane Young Women's association, resigning that position last August. Mr. and Mrs. MacLean will be at home at 1925 Oak street, Spokane, after December 20.

The wedding of Miss Bertha Phillippi, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Phillippi, and Mr. Elwood T. Bailey will be celebrated Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, 230 California street. Rev. O. W. Pifer of Des Moines, cousin of the bride, will officiate. Miss Margaret Phillippi will be the maid of honor and Miss Mary Phillippi and Miss Marguerite Paha will stretch the bridesmaids. Mr. A. F. Balloy of Milwaukee, brother of the groom, will be the best man. An informal reception will follow the marriage service, at which only the wedding guests will be present, including only the relatives and intimate friends. After a wedding trip Mr. Bailey and his bride will be at home in St. Joseph, Mo. The out-of-town guests will be Rev. and Mrs. O. W. Pifer of Des Moines, Miss Swannell of Kansas, Ill., Mr. A. S. Balloy of Milwaukee, Miss Taylor of Mount Pleasant, Ia., Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Wilson and Mr. Roy Hoover of St. Paul.

ABBOTT SUCCEEDS CHAMBERS

Union Pacific City Ticket Agent Receives Substantial Promotion.

George E. Abbott, city passenger agent of the Union Pacific, is appointed deputy agent of Union station to succeed J. K. Chambers, who died. The promotion for Mr. Abbott is recognized as well deserved by the railroad men of Omaha, as he has well handled the local business of the Overland for many years. The duties of station agent are quite arduous, as eight distinct roads and the Pullman company use the station and separate accounts must be kept for all the business of each road. A successor to Mr. Abbott as city ticket agent has not been decided upon.

A second all-rail route to Yellowstone National park is completed, although regular passenger service will not be inaugurated until spring over the new line of the Harriman system, which is just completed by the railroad men of Omaha, as he has well handled the local business of the Overland for many years. The duties of station agent are quite arduous, as eight distinct roads and the Pullman company use the station and separate accounts must be kept for all the business of each road. A successor to Mr. Abbott as city ticket agent has not been decided upon.

The southbound Overland Limited train

Friday night carried east to Washington A. C. Dixon and a party of eleven of the most prominent lumbermen of the Pacific northwest. They go as witnesses before the Interstate Commerce commission to protest against the raise in lumber rates from the northwest to the Mississippi river. The validity of the increase is contested. It was the men who raised a purse of \$25,000 with which to fight the lines when it was announced they proposed to raise the rates to a prohibitive figure on the principal products of the territory around Spokane and Portland.

Newest chafing dishes. Copley, 215 S. 16th.

LIFE OF CHRIST PICTURED

Sacred Passion Play to be Shown All Week at Jewel Theater.

The Oberammergau passion play will be exhibited in Omaha during the coming week. The original and only genuine film, taken by the famous Pathé of Paris, has been secured by the management of the Jewel theater and has been received in the city. The film is 3,114 feet long and divided into three sections. There are 4,224 pictures and an hour and a half is required to send it through the machine.

At the private exhibition made in the theater Friday evening those who were present expressed the greatest surprise and delight at the beauty of the pictures. Pathé of Paris is famous for his films, but this is apparently his masterpiece. A great portion of the moving pictures are shown in color. They are very large and exceedingly plain. There is no quivering in the pictures, as is so often the case, and the exhibition differs from the ordinary moving picture show, in that the film is sent through the machine only at such speed as to show the actual movements as they are in the original passion play.

There are thirty-nine scenes in the film, each depicting some scene in the life of Christ and each taking from one to four minutes to pass through the machine. The scenery and costuming of the play are shown with faithful attention to all detail. The person, who sees this film has every advantage that the spectator at the original show, given once every five years in Oberammergau has, because he sees the play exactly as it is in the original, even to the colors of the costumes and scenery.

Besides being historically perfect in action and costume, the acting of the characters is very fine and there is a remarkable display of emotions, so perfect as to need no words and to be as telling from the picture as though interpreted in speech. There are some fine facial studies also.

The thirty-nine scenes from the life of Christ include all the chief events from

birth to death. No scene has been too difficult for depiction. For example, the one in which Christ walked on the waters is shown with a stretch of stormy water, real water it is, too, and upon this Christ is seen walking as if on dry land.

Some of the pictures, like the transfiguration and the ascension, are shown with fine "stage effects," wonderfully true to life.

The "effeminate" as a sort of slur upon the man who was not rough, brutal, vulgar, and profane, if the man behaved himself as a gentleman, he was "effeminate." If the man refused to pick a quarrel, he was "effeminate." If he dressed himself in good taste, though within income he was "effeminate." If he wore gloves and patent leather shoes and had his trousers pressed, he was "effeminate." If he refused to soak at the bar, declined a cigar, hesitated to indulge in rowdiness, he was "effeminate." If he was not an athlete and a rough and tough, he was "effeminate." And yet—and yet—one night in a public resort in this city one of these "effeminate" in kid gloves gave John L. Sullivan the worst laying out John ever got. It almost made a gentleman of John—New York Press.

Chinese Sarcasm. Our trade dollar was issued for the purpose of increasing our commerce with China in competition with the Mexican and Spanish dollars, at the same time affording an outlet for the surplus silver of the Pacific coast mines. The Chinese empire, having no mint for the coinage of gold and silver, relied on the supplies of the Mexican dollar for its domestic circulation. The trade dollar was never intended for circulation in the United States, though made a legal tender to the extent of \$5 at the time of coinage—1873. This tender was repealed in 1875. In China, the American eagle on this wonderful coin was christened "Precious Goose," "Precious Duck" and "Flying Hen."—New York Press.

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We are showing an endless variety of hand painted satin boxes, jewel boxes and baskets trimmed in ribbon and holly all filled with the choicest and most select confection made and sure to gladden the heart of the recipient at 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$4.00, \$5.00 and \$6.00. You are especially invited to visit our store this week when out shopping.

Confections by Express. On request we pack in special containers any box ready to mail. Properly prepared for shipment, all orders receive careful attention.

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